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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket No. (Optional) 29757/AG50	
In re Application of White et al.			
Application Number 10/036,092		Filed November 9, 2001	
For: GAMING METHOD AND APPARATUS USING INTERCHANGEABLE SYMBOLS			
Art Unit 3714		Examiner A. RADA	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$

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☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/98).

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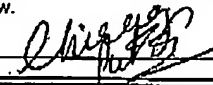
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